

# House District 38 Representative

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**AGE:** 25

**PLACE OF BIRTH:** Bethel, Alaska

**OCCUPATION:** Communications  
Specialist, YKHC

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA:** 25

**ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:**  
Bethel: June 7, 1997-Present

**EDUCATION:**  
Bethel Regional High School 2009 - 2015  
University of Hawai'i at Manoa 2015 - 2017 (No Degree)  
University of Alaska Anchorage 2018 (No Degree)

**POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:**  
Bethel City Council 2020 - Present  
Bethel Vice Mayor 2021 - Present

**SPECIAL INTERESTS:**  
Subsistence activities, cooking, journalism, film making, photography

**OTHER:**  
I was born in Bethel and have lived here my whole life.

In college, I studied journalism and media but left without a degree because I wanted to be back home. I would work over 4 different jobs at a time to make ends meet before being hired at the Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation (YKHC), in communications, where I work now.

At 23, I was appointed to the Bethel City Council. A year later I was voted Vice Mayor.

**STATEMENT:**  
I am very grateful for the opportunity to represent my region. Thank you to everyone in the region of District 38.

One of the principal reasons I chose to run for representative was out of a sense of urgency to protect subsistence rights and land for future generations. Choices I will make as a legislator will always be with the future in mind. My youth as a representative gives me an advantage in doing so.

I strive to be an advocate for working people and ensuring our rights are upheld, protected and improved.

I will support programs that ensure the cost of living in our rural communities does not go up.

Rural regions like my own suffer mightily from a lack of public safety resources. I intend to improve that and ensure that victims of violence get the justice they deserve. Especially those who have been a victim of sexual violence, a rampant issue in the State of Alaska.

I will always be accessible to the people I represent. The people of my region have an open door to my office. Additionally, I have a responsibility to work closely with the tribes throughout my region, and will do so diligently.

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